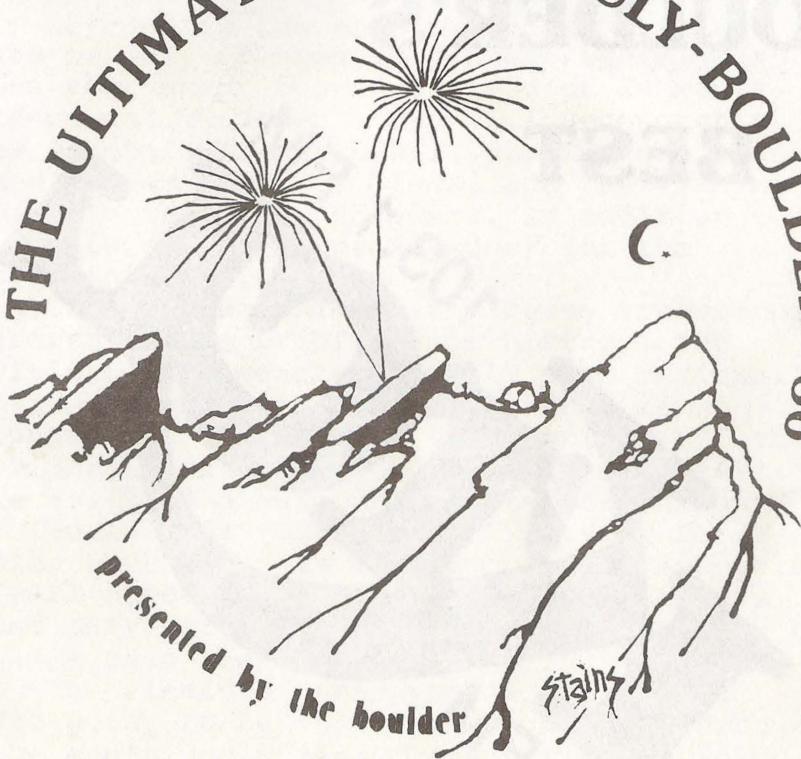


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From the Director's Desk:

Welcome to the Fourth Annual Ultimate 4th of July frisbee tournament. This year the tournament boasts a field of 24 men's teams and 10 women's teams. A sponsorship by Discraft products will provide the winning men's team with 200 discs, and the winning women's team with 75 discs. In addition to the discs will be prize money for the top finishers.

This tournament has undergone tremendous growth in its brief 4 year history. The Ultimate 4th started as a 12 team regionally oriented tournament in 1983. This is no longer the case due to the combined efforts of Mark Orders, Will Longtain, and myself; we now have a national caliber tournament.

Boulder provides a great setting for a disc tournament in the summer. The mountains, Pearl Street Mall, Red Rocks Amphitheater, and many more attractions await you after the games have been played.

The finals of this year's tournament are going to be the showcase events. Both the men's and women's finals will be held in Boulder High Stadium. Boulder Cable T.V. will be taping the action with three camera's. The Stadium should provide benefits for the player and spectator alike; we hope to please everyone.

St. Louis is the defending champion. They will be back to defend the title they won by defeating Windy City in 1985.

Look for fast play, good sportsmanship, and lots of fun!

Ultimately yours,

Louis Burke, esq.

TEAMS TO WATCH

by BOB PEASE

24 teams have traveled to Boulder this July Fourth to compete for one of the largest purses in Ultimate this year. From the 24 teams there are at least eight teams that deserve notice as potential finalists. These national-caliber teams represent four of the five regions in the U.S.

King City Fisters- The Fisters, comprised of former Condor and Flying Circus members, look tough to beat. This Western Regional representative recently won Cal-States at Santa Cruz and utilizing their Stanford "O" they look to be the cream of the crop in the West.

St. Louis Tunas- The Tunas come to Boulder as the defending champions. They are known for intense defense and are always in top condition. St. Louis was a semi-finalist at the 1985 Nationals losing to the eventual champions. Look for the Tunas to be there on Sunday.

Windy City- What can you say about the Blade Boys from Chi-town that has not already been said. This team has a wide open style of play that carried them to the National Championship in 1983 and is assured to please the crowd. Chicago comes to Boulder after a strong showing at the Easterns. Windy City lost in last year's final after some key players were injured. Things could be different this year.

The Boulder Stains- The Stains are back after a year hiatus in which they chased after the national title through the Southwest region. The host team has yet to win their own tournament, but they have brought together a strong team to try. The Stains are known for their all-around play with consistent offense, good conditioning, and intense defense. Mark "Muddy" Orders is the catalyst behind the Stains providing vast experience and leadership. The Stains are back and they could be your worst nightmare.

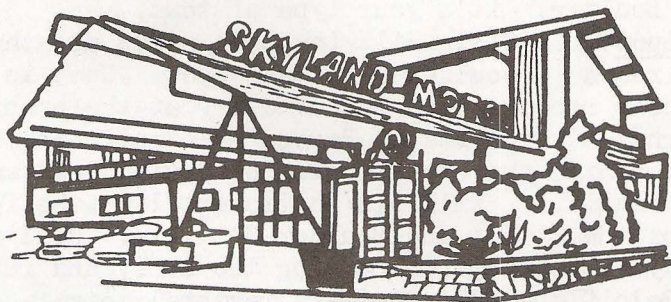
Santa Cruz Kaos- The "Chaos" make their Boulder debut and Boulder may never be the same. Santa Cruz, lead by Pouche and Dave Munzo, is a tough team to eliminate. Known as much for their partying ability as well as their athletic skills, Kaos will be capable of winning at Boulder. The presence of Chris Rojo this weekend only helps their chances for success. Enjoy Boulder; it's your type of town.

Spot- Ex-Stain Will Longtain makes his triumphant return to Boulder with team Spot. Spot is coming off their recent tournament victory at the prestigious Easterns. They defeated Boston's Titanic in the finals behind the stellar play of Kevin Cande and Will Longtain. Will was instrumental in the formation of the Stains and Boulder Ultimate. Will and Company are capable of "taking the money and running."

Polo Club- This western regional team from the Los Angeles area is somewhat of an unknown entity. Polo Club did very well at last year's Western Regional with a strong showing against the Flying Circus. Rich Gallagher and Mark Sauer lead this young and rising **team** into Boulder. But come on guys, Timmy and Carl would love to practice with you guys.

Dallas Ultimate- Dallas is alive and flourishing after its one year temporary merger with the Colorado mercenaries. This young and aggressive team boasts some of the best talent in the country. The play of the "Little General," Doug Parrish, is the key to the running style of offense Dallas uses. Hey! Hey! Dallas is going to be tough.





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THE BABYLON SISTERS-- A NEWSBRIEF

We have had a small but fiercely dedicated core for a few years now. Our section is vast; with the only established women's team near us in Albuquerque. A few individual players are scattered about, and they have been great in helping us out at many tournaments. Last fall, we travelled to the Western Regionals in Santa Barbara, where we witnessed the incredible strength and numbers of women's Ultimate on the west coast. As a result of that tournament, the Babylon Sisters forecasted that someday the Rocky Mountains would be the backdrop to women's teams scattered throughout the region.

Winter '85 was fast approaching and the season for recruiting seemed way off. However, maintaining the established cohesiveness during the winter months has never been much of a problem for the Sisters. Not only do we love to play Ultimate together, but we also love to ski and frolic in the mountains, and we can move the festivities indoors when the wind is really whipping. The winter season brought sunny January weekends which continued into a mild February, making many a festive weekend, with Saturdays devoted to Ultimate and Sundays to the slopes. Our appetites for tournament frivolity were satiated by the New Year's Fest in Tempe, and The Winter Crystal in San Diego, and four of us got another good dose in March at Lawrence, Kansas.

Beginning in April, a definitive practice was initiated and serious recruiting began. Some scouted the intramural college fields, others put up flyers, and others coaxed athletically oriented friends to give the ultimate sport a try. To our delight, the new recruits made astounding progress and regularly attended practice. We even initiated three of the new players to "proper" tournament etiquette in Albuquerque this May. Taking second in Albuquerque was just the payoff we needed for our recruiting efforts! We transferred this psyche to the players that could not be in Albuquerque, so that next time they would. That next time is NOW--the Ultimate Fourth of July.

The Babylon Sisters wish to extend our warmest welcome to all the new women in our area, and especially to all those players who have made the pilgrimage to be here on this Ultimate Fourth of July!

STOP RELOCATION

On July 7, 1986 the Navajo/Hopi people of Big Mountain Arizona will be considered trespassers on their own land. Relocation of American Indians is not a story in our history books, and abuse of human rights does not occur only in South Africa.

The Babylon Sisters ask that you show the courage to support the repeal of Public Law 93-531, and all other legislation allowing the forced relocation of our native people.

Letters need to be written to all members of the House and Senate. More information about this situation can be obtained by contacting:

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1520 Euclid Ave.
Boulder, Co. 80302
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Senator Bill Armstrong (R-Co)
311 Steele Street, Suite 103
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FREUDIAN FRISBEE

When I initially assumed the position of team psychologist for the Jersey Clouds Ultimate team, I had hoped to open the channels of communication among team members, to assist them in dealing with the pressures of third rate competition, and to explore the motivations behind their irrational passes when three men are standing wide open in the end zone.

Unfortunately, a single extraordinary case absorbed all my time and energy.

I first suspected that Dave Altana's relationship with Ultimate went beyond the ordinary fanaticism associated with the game on the afternoon he told team captain Paul Teshima, "I have to get my arm put in a cast, my girlfriend is threatening to leave me forever if I don't spend more time with her, and my house is on fire; so I'll be about five minutes late for practice." As it turned out, Dave delegated the fire problem to the girlfriend (now ex-girlfriend) and made it to practice on time, his arm dangling like a knumchuk stick.

After observing Dave's play in several games, I knew, psychologically speaking, that he was not landing with both feet in-bounds. No matter how close the score, Dave refused to stay on the fringes of the action, which best suited his modest talents, but insisted on constantly handling (fumbling) the disc. On those rare occasions when someone else held the disc, he continuously shouted, "Hit me long," or "Look at me when I cut," or "Right here, cement head." And if the opposition played man to man defense, he would reveal, "I'm isolated one on one," as though that were a once in a lifetime situation that guaranteed a score.

No matter how great his exhaustion or the frustration of our talent on the bench, Dave would keep himself in the entire game. When he collapsed for the third time in a game played in 95 degree heat and teammate Ed Niemczyk asked if he was all right, Dave claimed that he was just diving for a pass.

Dave's sensitivity to being benched was such that after he finally fell unconscious, the team let him remain on the field for three more scores. After he turned a sickening gray color, however, Niemczyk carried him to the sideline for sunstroke treatment.

When Dave came to, he acted like a pitcher removed in the last inning of a perfect game, calling Niemczyk "Captain Hook" and clubbing him with the ice bag that had cooled his 106 degree temperature.

For Dave's well being, for the good of the team and because his obsession was cutting into my own playing time, I tried talk therapy. I entered Dave in an Ultimate Anonymous support group composed mostly of the Webb College Vegetables, a team that I had recommended for institutionalization in 1979. In the few seconds of the rap sessions that they were not playing Ultimate, the Vegetables taught Dave how to plant himself on the playing field to eliminate any chance of forced removal.

Just as I gave up hope for Dave's rehabilitation, the results of the team I.Q. test pinpointed his problem. Dave's superior intellect was causing him to relate to Ultimate on a higher plane; he more acutely sensed the game's beauty and perfection, its harmony with the highest of human values. Asking Dave to restrict his playing time or his disc handling would be akin to asking a gourmet to live in a Dunkin Donuts.





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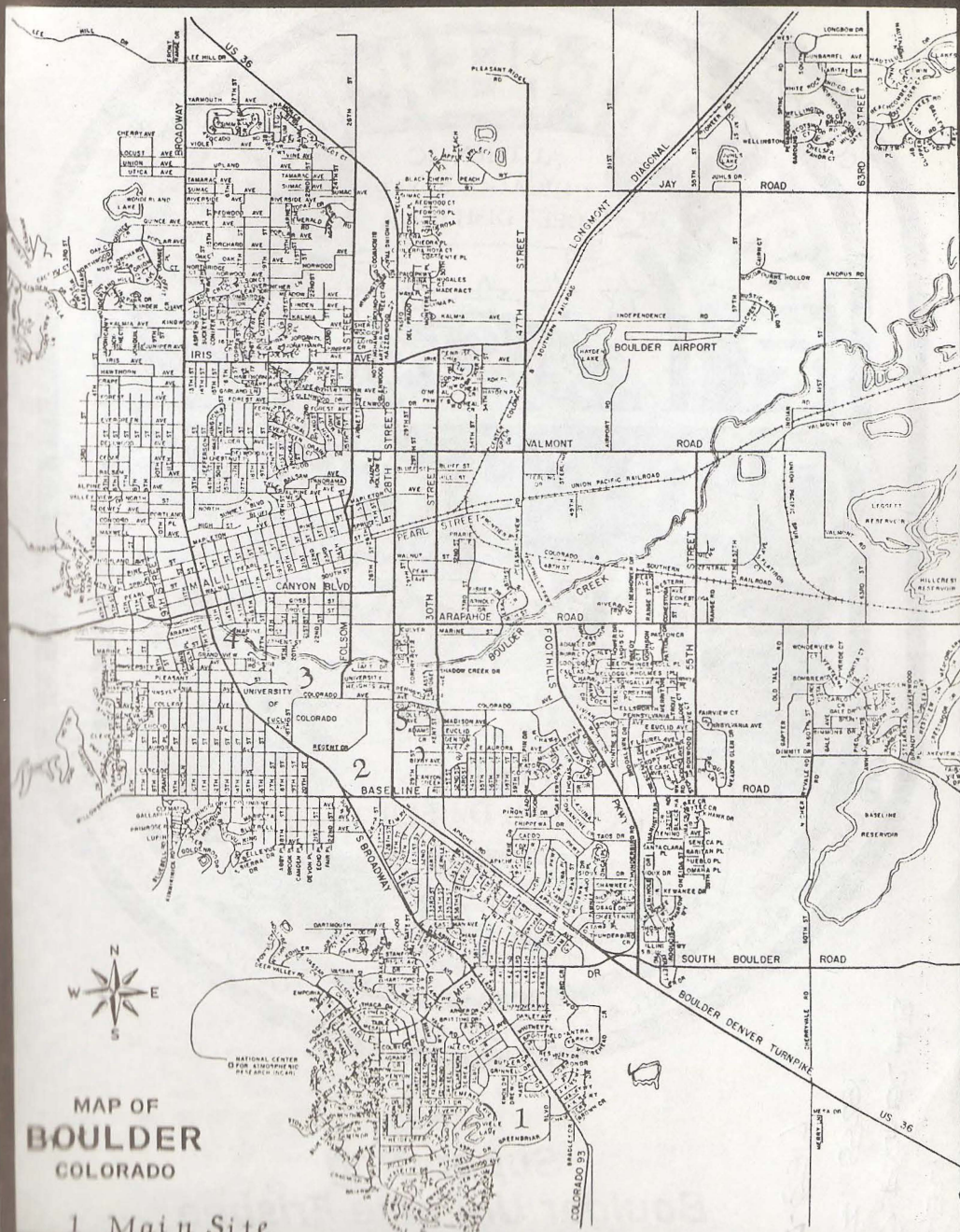
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